

Resolution No.: 17-874
Introduced: September 10, 2013
Adopted: September 24, 2013

**COUNTY COUNCIL
FOR MONTGOMERY COUNTY, MARYLAND**

By: Council President at the Request of the County Executive

SUBJECT: An Application Submitted by the Jewish Community Center of Greater Washington, Inc. a/k/a Jewish Community Center of Greater Washington to the State of Maryland Community Investment Tax Credit Program for Acquiring Tax Credits

Background

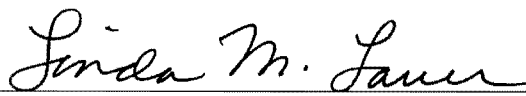
1. The State of Maryland Department of Housing and Community Development (MDDHCD), has established the Community Investment Tax Credit Program.
2. The Community Investment Tax Credit Program (CITC) is a part of the Smart Growth initiative designed to promote efforts to support a variety of projects for special populations, to provide a source of funds for assistance, and to support projects undertaken by the nonprofit sector.
3. CITC provides tax credits to corporations that donate funds to nonprofit organizations that provide services and projects to special populations throughout the state.
4. Montgomery County supports the arts and the use of energy-efficient lighting in arts venues which reduce the energy footprint and provide cost savings for non-profit organizations, community artists and arts organizations.
5. The Jewish Community Center of Greater Washington (JCCGW) proposes the utilization of funding raised through CITC to convert the lighting in its theatre to energy efficient LED fixtures. This will result in energy and cost savings.
6. Under CITC, the JCCGW has applied to MDDHCD for an allocation of \$46,500 in tax credits for business entities that contribute.
7. The County Executive and the County Council support JCCGW's application for \$46,500 in tax credits. This support is given as specified in COMAR 5.14.01.05B(10)(a).

Action

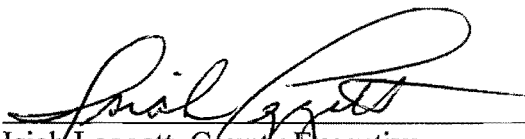
The County Council for Montgomery County, Maryland approves the following Resolution:

Montgomery County supports the application of the Jewish Community Center of Greater Washington for the allocation of tax credits under the Community Investment Tax Credit Program to support the conversion of its theatre lighting to energy-efficient lighting.

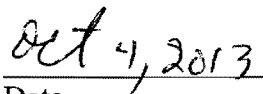
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Linda M. Lauer, Clerk of the Council



Isiah Leggett, County Executive



Date